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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

FOR FAIR HOUSING, et al.,

Plaintiff(s),

v.

CITY OF ANTIOCH, et al.,

Defendant(s).

ANTIOCH SECTION 8 FAMILIES

No. C08-2301 BZ

ORDER REGARDING PLAINTIFFS'
IN FORMA PAUPERIS
APPLICATIONS

This suit was filed by four individual plaintiffs and a "group plaintiff," the Antioch Section 8 Families for Fair Housing, that is not eligible for in forma pauperis status because it is not a natural person. Rowland v. Cal. Men's Colony, unit II Men's Advisory Council, 506 U.S. 194, 212 (1993). Even though plaintiffs paid the filing fee, the individual plaintiffs have submitted applications to proceed in forma pauperis. If the individual plaintiffs wish the court to rule on their applications, they should file by May 30, 2008 a written explanation of the purpose to be served by having the individuals be considered for in forma pauperis status, after the fee was paid.

The individual applications appear to contain inconsistencies and inaccuracies. For example, plaintiff Scott claims a gross income of \$1500 per month but a net income of \$1600 per month. Assuming, plaintiffs wish to proceed, each plaintiff is urged to carefully review her application and determine whether it should be withdrawn or corrected.

Dated: May 15, 2008

Bernard Timmerman United States Magistrate Judge

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